

is to return the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to return.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Barrett.

SENATOR BARRETT: Thank you, Mr. President. Again the amendment on 2454 calls attention to the criteria which would change the venue. The venue would be then in the district court of the county in which the services were performed, or where the employer is situated or has his or her principal office or place of business and/or in any district court upon which all of the parties might agree. The reason again was for inconvenience in travel. There were people in Scottsbluff and the Panhandle, Anselmo who determined it might be a little inconvenient to come to Lancaster County for the purpose of a hearing. I would move that the body adopt the amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question...any discussion? The question is the adoption of the amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to adopt the amendment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The amendment is adopted. Senator Barrett.

SENATOR BARRETT: I move the bill be advanced to E & R for engrossment.

SPEAKER NICHOL: You've heard the motion. All those in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. Moving on, read the next bill, please.

CLERK: (Read LB 496 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall 496 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? For what purpose do you rise, Senator Morehead? Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 2569 of the Legislative Journal.) 26 ayes, 20 nays, 3 excused and not